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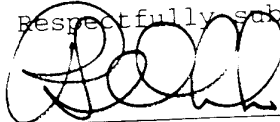
Honorable Sir:

In response to the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application" (copy attached) dated December 4, 2001, enclosed is the fully executed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney document, in respect of the captioned application, along with a check in the amount of \$65.00 to cover the requisite fee.

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Respectfully submitted,



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